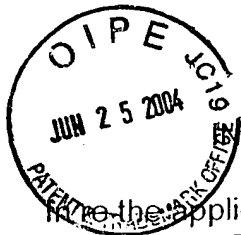


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AMENDMENT TO CORRECT CLAIM TO PRIORITY

Sir:

On April 27, 2004, a claim to priority was filed for the above-identified application.

The transmittal cover sheet had the incorrect serial number of the U.S. application.

(copy attached) The correct serial number for this priority document is 09/037,792. The
issue fee has not been paid.

It is respectfully requested that the priority document No. 197 10 009.0 be placed
in the correct file.

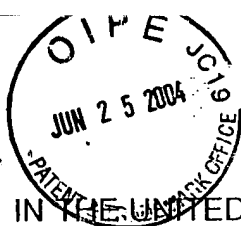
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The benefit of the filing date of the following prior foreign application filed under the
International (Paris) Convention for the Protection of Industrial Property (Stockholm Act
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A certified copy of the priority document is attached.

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Anmelder/Inhaber: Knoll AG, 67061 Ludwigshafen/DE

Bezeichnung: Mehrphasige wirkstoffhaltige Zubereitungsformen

IPC: A 61 K 9/26

Die Übereinstimmung der angehefteten Unterlagen mit der in der Bibliothek des Deutschen Patent- und Markenamtes vorhandenen Offenlegungsschrift wird bestätigt. Die Akte dieser Patentanmeldung ist bereits vernichtet worden.

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